



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: )  
Huang ) Examiner: H. Gibbs  
Application No.: 09/828,856 ) Art Unit: 2627  
Filed: April 10, 2001 )  
For: Network Server for Providing Scanning )  
Functionality to a Computer )  
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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 1.114 is made regarding the above-referenced patent application. Assignee respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the following amendment, which includes an amendment to the claims, and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.